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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1888.

ROSCOE CONKLING is the Baltimore Herald's nominee for President. Now that Mr. Blaine is out of the way the hopes of candidates and their friends rise mightily.

GEN. SHERIDAN goes the "better to be right than to be President" man several better by declaring that he wouldn't have

THE new fisheries treaty with Great Britain is made public. American fisher-

THE sugar trust is undergoing investigation at the hands of a New York legislative committee. If these late inventions of the adversary of competition are all looked into in every State, legislatures will have their hands full.

THE Gresham boom is gathering strength, at least in Washington, we judge from private letters. The Republicans of the country might easily do easily do were to his chief this year with Blaine as his opponent. But now the situation

THAT great nightmare of the Democrats, the tariff bill, which the House ways and means committee has been struggling with, was to have been reported to the full committee yesterday. It is said to aim at a reduction of \$55,000,000; how near it will shoot is not stated.

THE national Democratic committee met at Washington, Wednesday, to fix dlebury and afterwards of Burlington the date and place for holding the next and Ottawa, sailed from New York Satnational convention. The date, July 3, urday for an extended trip through was fixed without much trouble, but up Europe. to adjournment Wednesday night no place had been agreed up, the last ballot standing: San Francisco 17, Chicago 15. St. Louis 14, Cincinnati 1.

WE wish to call the attention of our city on Feb. 14. readers to the notice, in another column, of the secretary of the county agricultural society. It seems to be necessary, in order to the maintenance of a county fair in Middlebury, that a stock company should be formed for the purpose. Such years ago, but it is not too late now. Few if any of the counties of this State, or of any State, can produce better stock or better crops than this, and we ought the country. The way to do this is to be interested and will do their share. It is to be hoped that there will be present resentation of the county.

AN EMINENT SPECIALIST.

Speaking of President Cleveland's freetrade policy, Chauncey M. Depew said in his magnificent oration at the Washington memorial exercises at Chicago, Wed-

The President says to the combined forces of Capital and Labor, flushed with past successes and eager for the conquest law must not be a factor in the calculations of commerce. It is fortunate for the future of the country that the Presiists and experimentalists who have died in demonstrating that the gun was not

HOW IT WORKS.

has come from carrying it into party pol- Starksboro, Edgar Purinton; Vergennes, new minister, who will call again." itics. For in most part this has been G. F. O. Kimball; Waltham, F. D. Bar- [Harper's Bazar.

avoided hitherto, and the temperance men of both parties have been able to work together. But there is a tendency now to make a party cry of prohibition, and this, I believe, unless checked, will in the end prove an irreparable injury to a cause which should have the support of every live friend of temperance."

The Independent, which is strong for prohibition but does not go in for the third-party variety of it, deplores the divisions among temperance men which are the inevitable result of the movement, and adds: "This plan of dividing prohibitionists amounts simply to a proposition to restore the saloons. A celebrated novel puts into the mouth of one of its characters, a shrewd old Scotchwoman, this exclamation: 'Oh, Lord, how little sense it does take to make a minister.' Some such remark as this the old lady would be sure to make if she were a witness of the attacks of certain political prohibitionists on prohibition in Maine, Georgia and elsewhere."

CURRENT OPINION.

THE WINDHAM COUNTY KEG.

Brother Swain's reply to the St. Johnsbury querist indicates that he has his hand over the bung of the Windnam county gubernatorial keg; but it may prove Fuller than he can hold, as the process of fermentation goes on; or he was a standard to the standar the office anyway. So the "Sheridan and Shenandoah" war-cry is prematurely choked off.

cess of fermentation goes on; or he may be Harrised beyond his ability to protect both, should the bovine Hooker get after his coat-tails.—[Ludlow Tribune.

NOTHING BUT RUIN.

If, then, the effect of the removal of men are indignant, those at Gloucester, the 10 per cent. ad valorem duty has been to make sheep industry unprofitable and to diminish the grand aggregate of the rights have been sacrificed to the interests of Canada.

It, then, the enect of the removal of the 10 per cent. ad valorem duty has been to make sheep industry unprofitable and to diminish the grand aggregate of the flocks, what result can be predicted if the entire duty is abolished? Nothing but utter and irretrievable ruin to a branch of industry that ranks among the largest and most general of the country. The demand of wool growers that the tarift as it existed March 3, 1883, be restored, is just and reasonable.—[Rural Vermont-

ALL BROKE UP.

They say that Bradley Smalley is "all roke up" by Mr. Blaine's letter. Smalbroke up " by Mr. Blaine's letter. Same ley was the one active, efficient man in managing Cleveland's campaign four and he calculated on a walkworse than take the Indiana statesman, is all changed, and what to depend upon and it is very doubtful if they could do is something that no Democrat can find out.—[Brattleboro Phenix.

PERSONAL.

Luther L. Durant, Esq., a well-known

These Orwell ladies have gone South to spend the rest of the winter: Mrs. E. M. Wright, Mrs. D. W. Clark, Mrs. E. M. Bottum and Mrs. Amanda Warren. Hon. D. C. Linsley, formerly of Mid-

Mr. George Gregory Smith of St Albans, son of ex-Gov. Smith, and Miss gage car. Frances Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. John V. Lewis of Boston, were married in that

THE PROPOSED STATE BOARD OF TRADE.

an organization should have been effected State board of trade for the sale of but- in the line of his duties made acquainor better crops than this, and we ought to have every year a fair equal to any in the second course in Syracuse university, the second course in Syracuse university, the removed his family to this city. For the second course in Syracuse university, the removed his family to this city. For the second course in Syracuse university, the removed his family to this city. For the second course in Syracuse university, the second course in Syracuse university, the removed his family to this city. For the second course in Syracuse university, the removed his family to this city. For the second course in Syracuse university, the removed his family to this city. For the second course in Syracuse university, the second course in Syracuse university, the second course in Syracuse university, the second course in Syracuse university. get up just such a company as is proposed. Then the people as a whole will organization the maple sugar and honey of Syracuse. Mr. Hiller was in religion detrees, 2 buffalo robes, 1 plow, 1 grain cradle, at next Wednesday's meeting a full rep- Elgin, Ill., Canton and Ogdensburgh, N. ed with his professions. He lent dignity mention; also a quantity of

The executive board of this society met at the Addison House on Friday last. The of the world, "Halt; you are on the following officers of the fair were elected: wrong road." Business is built upon stability of statutes. Fluctuations in the Middlebury; superintendent of horses, following officers of the fair were elected: Middlebury; superintendent of horses, Hon. D. W. Nash of New Haven; sheep, H. E. Sanford of West Cornwall; floral dent has taken a position so radical and and horticultural hall, A. K. Carr of defiant that discussion and decision are imperative. If the result is, as I think it will and ought to be, the defeat of the President and of his party, he will take his place among the few eminent specialists and experimentalists who have died in demonstrating that the gun was not lice, Darwin Rider; town managers-Addison, Edward Gorham; Bridport, C. P. Crane; Bristol, Hiram Sumper; Corn-The first question a Vermonter who wall, W. H. DeLong; Ferrisburgh, M. thinks of going into the third-party F. Allen; Goshen, S. H. Washburne; movement should ask himself is, as it Granville, S. F. Hubbard; Hancock, seems to us, What will be the effects, John Darling; Leicester, Ned Barker; locally, of this agitation? The experi- Lincoln, W. E. Hanks; Middlebury, Geo. ence of Maine, another prohibitory State, Hammond; Monkton, Carter Beers; New ought to have weight. But Dr. Bur- Haven, Frank Eastman; Orwell, Henry rage of Zion's Advocate, who lives in G. Hibbard; Panton, Edrick Adams; Portland, writes: "The greatest harm Ripton, G. J. Hodges; Salisbury, Henry that has come to prohibition in Maine J. Hyde; Shoreham, Capt. Frank Moore;

ton; Weybridge, George E. Child; Whiting, Francis D. Douglas.

Purses were arranged as follows: For horses that have never beaten three min-utes-\$75, \$35 to 1st, \$25 to 2d, \$15 to 3d, Farmers' Race-\$50, \$20 to 1st, \$12 to 2d, \$8 to 3d, \$6 to 4th, \$4 to 5th.

For foals of 1886-\$50, \$25 to 1st, \$15 to 2d, \$10 to 3d. For foals of 1885—\$50, \$25 to 1st, \$15 to 2d, \$10 to 3d.

Purse of \$150, open to all horses that have never beaten 2 30-\$75 to 1st, \$50 to 2d, \$25 to 3d.

Premiums on sheep were re-arranged and are now as follows:

MERINO SHEEP. Ram two years old or over, \$5, \$3. Ram one year old or over \$4, \$2. Ram lamb, 84, 82.

Pen 5 ewes, two years old or over, \$5, \$3. Pen 5 ewes, one year old or over, \$4, \$2. Pen 3 ewe lambs, \$4, \$2. MUTTON SHEEP. Best display, \$10, \$5.

The question of organizing a stock company was discussed at some length, and a committee composed of M. L. Taylor of New Haven, Darwin Rider of Middlebury and C. P. Crane of Bridport was appointed to canvass the matter more thoroughly and report at an adjourned meeting, Wednesday, Feb. 29.

COUNTY NOTES.

Mr. E. N. Bissell of Shoreham has sold his yearling Galloway bull, "Black Prince of Shoreham," to C. P. Crane of Bridport. The mercury is said to have reached 30 below zero at East Shoreham on Thursday morning of last week.

REPUBLICAN MEETING AT WEST SALIS-

BURY.
There will be a meeting under the auspices of the Abe Lincoln Republican club at the church in West Salisbury tomorrow (Saturday) evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. It will be addressed by State's Attorney Wilds and James M. Slade, Esq., of Middlebury and probably by others. Everybody and their wives are invited. It is the intention to have a rousing meeting.

THE DEATH OF MR. HILLER. Prof. H. M. Seely and Mrs. M. H. Eddy were suddenly summoned to Syracuse, N. Y., late Thursday afternoon of last week, by a telegram announcing that their sister's husband, Mr. D. T. Hiller, had been killed in a railway accident. Mr. Hiller was a commercial traveler. Thursday afternoon he was riding in the rear car of a train on the Rome, Water-Montpelier lawyer, died the 16th of heart town & Ogdensburgh road. When near Canton his train stopped, on account of a hot box or something of the kind, and while standing there, on a curve, a freight train following ran into it. The other occupants of the car saw the danger and escaped by jumping. Mr. Hiller, it is supposed, attempted to get out of the car by the front door and had just reached the platform when the crash came. He was found lying beside the track with his skull crushed in. The surmise is that

The remains were taken to his home in Syracuse. The Standard of that city says: "Mr. Hiller was for many years a leading dealer in boots and shoes at Sherburne, Chenango county. Becoming dissatisfied with his business prospects there The State Creamery association held a he removed his wife and daughter to meeting at Burlington last Saturday to Middlebury, Vt. He then began travel- one year old, 65 Registered Spanish Merino take action respecting the formation of a ing for boot and shoe manufacturers, and sheep, including 2s breeding ewes, 10 yearling ter and cheese. An adjourned meeting tances and friends in all parts of the to complete the organization will be held United States. Some six months ago, in bhine, I Bay State horse rake, nearly new; at the Van Ness House, Burlington, on order to afford his daughter the advan- hand-rake and garden rake, forks, spade, sho Tuesday next, the 28th. Then it will be tages of a course in Syracuse university, vel, boes, 2 buck saws, hand saw, square, an both St. Albans and Burlington wanting some time he has been representing Hale, ble sleighs, 2 single harnesses, 1 set light douproducers of the State. Exchanges of a Methodist, in society and in business a I new cultivator, I harrow, I shovel plow, I this character have been in operation at gentleman always. His life correspond- and many other articles too numerous to Y., and elsewhere for some years, and to his trade and honor to the term comhave proved of the greatest benefit to mercial traveler. Where he has lived no producers. As only members of the ex, man was held in higher regard, and change will be allowed to sell through it- where his occupation led him he made all who are interested in the scheme friends, to whom the announcement of months time will be given on approved paper should attend the Burlington meetings his death will come like a cruel blow.

Mr. Hiller was a Free Mason, being a AUCTIONER The burial was at Oakwood cemetery, Syracuse, on Sunday afternoon. A large gathering of friends from central New York, either associated in business or

> ter, Miss Grace, resided at Prof. Seely's; his family have many friends here who will regret to hear of the great calamity that has befallen them. Miss Grace, it will be remembered, graduated at the high school here last summer. Prof. Seely has returned home, but Mrs. Eddy is still with her sister at Syracuse.

-"Bub," said the agent, as a little boy opened the door, "is your main?" Yes; she's in the kitchen trying to fix the stove; it won't bake. Who shall I say wants to see her?" "Tell her it's the

Report of the condition of the Na-tional Bank of Middlebury

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Checks and other cash items,
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Total,

State of Vermont, 1, Charles E. PinCounty of addison, ss. incy, Cashler of the
above named bank, do solemniy swear that
the above statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.

CHARLES E. PINNEY, Cashler.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th
day of February, 188.

GEORGE M. FLETCHER,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest, A. A. FLETCHER, CALVIN HILL, G. S. WAINWRIGHT,

Report of the condition of the First National Bank of Orwell. at Orwell, in the State of Vermont, at the close of business, February 14, 1888.

RESOURCES Loans and discounts, \$276,769 08 5,479 58 Overdrafts, C. S. Bonds to secure circulation, Other stocks, bonds and mortgages, 50,000 00 28,556 68 50,400 02 8,176 34 21,393 62 11,000 00 750 71 95 34 1,863 00 Other stocks, bonds and mortgages, Due from approved reserve agents, Due trom other National banks. Due from State banks and bankers, Real estate, farniture and fixtures, Current expenses and taxes paid, Checks and other cash items, Bills of other banks, Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents, Species.

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LIABILITIES.

Total, \$476.646 st
STATE OF VERMONT, I, J. S. Wilcox,
County of Addison, ss; v cashier of the
above named bank, do solemnly swear that
the above statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.

J. S. WILCOX, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th
day of February, 1888.

day of February, 1888.
M. J. HARRINGTON, Notary Public. Correct—Attest.

V. RICH,
CYRUS JENNINGS,
C. E. BUSH,

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WEDNESDAY,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the residence of the late JAMES F. MOORE, one hult mile South of Shoreham Village,

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STATE OF VERMONT-District of The Probate Court for the District of Addi-

York, either associated in business or connected by relationship, were present at the funeral services. These were conducted by the Rev. Mr. McAnulty, Mr. Hiller's former Sherburne pastor, assisted by the resident pastors and by an escort of Knights Templar, who took part in the impressive ceremonies.

Mr. Hiller was known to a few in Middlebury, in said district of the State of Vermont, you are hereby notified to appear before the said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in Middlebury, in said District on the 5th day of March, A. D., 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any you have why the account of D. Rider, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, should not be allowed, and also why the residue of said estate should not be distributed to the parties entitled thereto. Dated at Middlebury, in said district, this 18th day of February, A. D., 1888.

7 GEORGE E. KNAPP, Register.

SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

The non-resident proprietors of the town of Goshen, in the County of Addison, are hereby notified that the taxes assessed by said town within the last two years next preceding this date remain in whole unpaid on the following described lands in said town, to wit: it being the south two-thirds part of the original right of Lemuel Stewart, No. 5, 2d Division, decreed by Court of Chancery to Orren W. Philips; now owned and assessed to Viola Eddy, and so much of said land will be sold at public auction at the dwelling-house of Ford Capen, in said Goshen, on Friday, the 2nd day of March, 1883, at one o'clock p. m., as shall be required to discharge said taxes with costs, unless previously paid.

FORD CAPEN, Constable and Collector. Dated at Goshen, Jan. 28, A. D. 1888. 5;3

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